Abstract

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The invention provides a method and apparatus for intelligently routing client requests to service provider servers associated with a service routing network, which may include an association of multiple service provider servers. An ingress server may be configured to receive incoming client requests directed to the network. The associated servers may be pre-qualified and monitored by one or more servers within the network to keep the ingress server apprised of their status. The requests may then be intelligently qualified and routed to an associated server according to predetermined criteria. The association of these servers allows for easy, convenient and intelligent routing between the providers and specific clients according to the individual client's requests.